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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:  
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For: SCALABLE MULTIPARTY  
CONFERENCING AND COLLABORATION  
SYSTEM AND METHOD OF  
DYNAMICALLY ALLOCATING SYSTEM  
RESOURCES IN SAME

Examiner: T. D. Tran

**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Final Office Action dated August 15, 2006, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.